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In re Application of
Quinton Yves ZONDERVAN

Application Number 09/481,512	Filed January 12, 2000
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For SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR FORMATTING AN ELECTRONIC MESSAGE	
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Art Unit 2635	Examiner Vernal U. Brown
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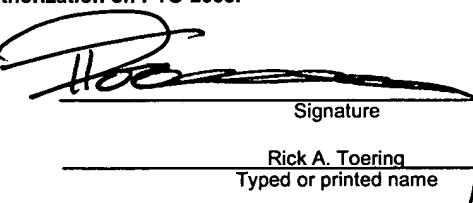
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